



NEWS RELEASE

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Current Road Closures due to Fire

REDDING – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) District 2 has activated the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) in response to the numerous wildfires throughout the district. The EOC is a central focal point for major incident and emergency response activities within the district.

For more information regarding highway closures due to fire and to view an EOC closure map visit the web at www.caltrans2.info

UPDATE 0815 hrs June 30, 2008

State Route 32 has one-way traffic control from 12 miles to 8.9 miles west of the junction of SR 36 in Tehama County..

SR 36 W from the junction of SR 3 to 30 miles west of Red Bluff 36 was lifted at 1930 hrs on 06/29/08. Roadway is currently open with no restrictions.

State Route 70 is still closed at the junction with State Route 89, 10 miles west of Quincy to Big Bend Road in Butte County. There is no estimated time to reopen.

State Route 96 currently has one way traffic control 18 miles west of Happy Camp, due to a wildfire burning along the highway.

State Route 299W is currently open with no restrictions.

State Route 299E is currently open with no restrictions.

Motorists traveling on routes throughout District 02 should watch for emergency equipment and personnel. Be advised that roads can close at anytime if conditions worsen.

Changeable message signs will alert motorists in advance as to which ramps will be closed.

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NOTE: An electronic version of this news release is available on the Internet at the following web address: <http://caltrans2.info/roadinfo.htm>

